

# CLEAN-UP and FIRE PREVENTION CAMPAIGN READY

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### Old Timer Passes At Age Of 62

MORINVILLE. — On Monday, April 24th an old timer of Cardiff passed away in the death of Mr. Anton Watamaniuk at the age of 62 years. He was a well known figure in the district having lived here for many years. Mr. Watamaniuk is survived by his loving wife, three sons and two daughters. Fred of Calgary, Nick of Toronto, and Mike of Lusscar; Mrs. Polly McKay of Namao, Mrs. Rosie Weiss of Cardiff, also six grandchildren. Funeral services were held in Edmonton on Thursday, April 27 at the Chapel on the Boulevard where a large number of friends attended. Rev. A. Chrusztawka officiated and interment was made in the Beechmount cemetery.

### 88 Pupils At English Festival

ST. ALBERT. — About 88 pupils attended the English Festival in Morinville on Friday, April 30. There were solos, duets, trios, action songs, folk dances, choruses, piano and violin selections, recitations and public speaking.

Adjudicators were Rev. F. Green, N. Eagleson and Supt. R. Scott all of Edmonton.

Reports at hand: Helen Wilson, V.G., recitations; Marilyn Vague, V.G., solo; Willard L'Hirondelle, G., solo; Norman Girard, G., solo; Robert Kennedy, G. recitation; Marilyn Veneze, G., solo.

Division I (Action Song), V.G., In Wooden Shoes.

Grade I and II, (chorus), V.G., Birds' Chorus.

Anne Marie Blair, V.G., solo.

### Means CYO Concert Draws Big Crowd

MORINVILLE. — On Sunday evening, April 30th, the Means CYO, were hosts to a packed hall when they presented a 3-act comedy entitled "The Time of His Life." Those who took part in this play were: Miss Violet Brennie and Alex; Alfred and Betty Herminuts; Betty Harrington, Buddy McGillis; Tom O'Neill, Maurice Logan and Johnny Kluthe. Musical selections were rendered between acts by Miss Vera Brennie and Don O'Neill.

### Mrs. Langford Named Editor Of Bulletin

CLYDE. — Mrs. Lila Langford has been officially appointed Local Editor of The Clyde Bulletin. The Bulletin is very fortunate in having obtained the services of Mrs. Langford as Local Editor as she has had considerable experience as a news reporter and we feel sure that she will carry out her new duties well.

Mrs. Langford is the wife of J. O. Langford, a Clyde businessman. We urge all those in the Clyde district if they have any news of local interest to get in touch with Mrs. Langford and the news will appear in The Bulletin in our earliest issue at all times.

### Thief's Accomplice Finds a Friend



Louise Guthrie, of North Bay, Ont., is shown with her pet, Peter, a bear cub she adopted after his mother was caught in the act of raiding the commissary at North Bay airport. The cub was born in hibernation and he followed his mother on her fatal foraging expedition. Apparently he bears no malice for he has taken to his new surroundings like the proverbial duck to water. Currently he is getting his nourishment from a bottle but will soon be able to fend for himself.

### SPRING CLEAN-UP CAMPAIGN

(EDITORIAL)

Next week should prove a beneficial one for Morinville with the clean-up campaign in full swing. With the burning of rubbish and grass a certain danger is always present, and so it is a good time to be reminded of fire prevention. The power of fire prevention lies in the fact that every citizen can be a worker in its cause. Only by the strength of a careful public can we prevent recurring fire disasters. Ignorance is one of the allies of fire: ignorance of the things to do and ignorance of the things that set up conditions of fire. Let our slogan be, "Let us not have a fire but prevent one."

All abandoned sheds and old barns are a fire hazard. All piles of rubbish and piles of old wood not used for fire wood are also a menace. All flammable liquids, dirty chimneys, sooty stove pipes and faulty electric wiring are the tools of fire. A thorough inspection of every home and business place in this town is recommended to check on these points and rigid enforcement of the rules should be made compulsory by the town council.

Let us clean up but let us not burn up.

### Thousand Students Present At District School Festival

MORINVILLE. — On Friday last Morinville had a great invasion of school buses and a cavalcade of vehicles brought hundreds of school children for the Sturgeon School Festival when 27 schools took part. About one thousand children were present and a 3 o'clock sharp the junior grades began to compete under the adjudicators' directions of Rev. Leo Green, Inspector R. S. Scott and N. Eagleson who served each class performance.

After a full day in the school rooms and Convent auditorium, a concert in the evening was held in the Morinville Community hall where the finalists took part. A capacity crowd was in attendance, and outstanding talent was in evidence by several contestants. Among those who rated very highly we quote Mr. Norman Eagleson's comment about one local stud nt, David Middleton,

Class C Violin who played Czardas by Monty: "Here we find undoubted artistic qualities. The tone is rich and sure. The bowing and fingering confident. Dave caught the wild emotion of the flame of the Hungarian Dance. The double stopping was always in true tones, and he showed surprising success in his playing of harmonics. Much promise is evident here."

Among the Morinville students to receive Gold Seal Diplomas at a public reception to be announced at a later date we noted the following:

Margaret McLaughlin, HS, recitation; Bernadette Champagne, Gd 8, recitation; Betty Ann Bigelow, Gd 7, recitation; Paul Poirier, Gd 6, recitation; Jesse Ineke, Gd 5, recitation; Denise Therberge, Gd 4, recitation; Dorothy Hepler, Gd 2, recitation; Sandra

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### Fire Siren Ordered Installed By Council

MORINVILLE. — The immediate installation of the fire siren was authorized by council at a meeting held in the town office April 25, 1950. On a motion by Paul Brochu minutes of the last meeting were accepted as read.

It was moved by Lucien Letourneau that by-law No. 377 be given third reading and passed forthwith.

By-law no. 380 was given first and second reading.

It was moved by Councillor Brochu that it be given third and final reading and passed forthwith.

A delegation was appointed to go to the Water Resources Branch for information regarding drainage of the town.

On a motion by Mayor Soetaert that owing to the number of filling stations already established on the highway in the town of Morinville, it was decided that no more permission for licences for such businesses be granted at the present time and the Dept. of Industries and Labor be advised accordingly.

It was moved by Jerry Desnoyers the siren be installed immediately outside the present skating rink on the north corner and that the Fire Chief be so advised.

On a motion by Nap. Douzieux that Lucien Letourneau be authorized to see that a stand for water barrels and drying racks be built at the Fire Hall.

Mayor Soetaert was appointed representative of Morinville on the joining of the Edmonton and District Planning Commission on a motion by Paul Brochu.

It was moved by L. Letourneau that the secretary-treasurer notify every householder on the sewer lines advising them to install a drain or sewer screen to prevent rubbish, coal or wood from entering the sewer and avoid the trouble experienced in the past. After May 15 1950 any person who fails to comply with this order shall be prosecuted.

The minutes of the two last meeting of the Board of Trade were read and ordered place on file.

Next town council will take place on Thursday, May 11 at 8 p.m.

Present at the last council meeting: Mayor Soetaert, Councillors W. Labonte, L. Letourneau, P. Brochu, Jerry Desnoyers, P. Gibeault and Nap. Douzieux.

### M.D. Supplies Vaccine For Bang's Disease

The Municipal District of Morinville is supplying vaccine for Bang's disease in cattle, and the Agriculture Service Board is arranging for veterinarians to handle the necessary volume of work, at a rate of 75 cents per calf with a minimum charge of \$2.

An announcement from the Board is found elsewhere in this newspaper.

Farmers should not fail to clip out the coupon provided in the announcement and mail to the Municipal District Office, Morinville, without delay.

### Morinville Mutual Telephone Directors Hold Meeting

At a recent meeting held by the directors of the Morinville Mutual Telephone Co., the secretary, Mrs. E. Ellett read a letter from the Attorney-General of Alberta in which he stated that the affairs of the company were being conducted in a perfectly legal manner.

Present at the meeting were Mr. Snowling, Supt. of the Govt. of Alberta Telephones and Mr. Evans, construction superintendent. Councillor N. Parrott was also present.

It was suggested that the company continue without change throughout the year of 1950. The question of remuneration for the directors was scheduled for further consideration at the next annual meeting. Mr. J. L. Mitchell presided at the meeting, two of the directors were absent.

### Final Meeting Held At Speaking Classes

MORINVILLE. — On Sunday afternoon, April 30th, the last Classes were held with ten members present in the Morinville Community hall. These classes were first started by Rev. E. Briere and this last group were under the direction of Mr. James Ellett. At this last class, Mr. Phil Gibeau was chairman and Adrien Gibeau secretary. The meeting was conducted according to parliamentary procedure and those present were: Misses Cecile and Therese Petras; Art Soetaert; Mr. and Mrs. Dan Cournoyer, Francois Beland; Phil and Adrien Gibeau; Charles Krauskopf and Jas. Ellett. Through the eight lesson classes held in the past months several innocent topics were discussed. Among them: Organizations; Safety Measures; Criticism; Building Plan for Parish hall; Fire Hazards; Town Park planning and Citizenship.

Although those who finished the course were sorry to have them come to an end it is a great disappointment to have such a large number drop out, with 30 enrolled at the start and 10 at the finish it would be appreciated if reasons for quitting were given to eliminate a reiteration of this kind at the next fall enrolment.

### ST. ALBERT C.Y.O.

Due to a slight error, the main actress in the three-act play was not mentioned in last week's write-up. Ms. Blake was played by Denise Belhumeur. Denise did a very good job with such a long part and receives our congratulations.

## Letters to the Editor

### EDMONTON'S SKID ROAD

Dear Sir—The article in last week's issue on Edmonton's Skid Road should give the police and everybody something to mull over. If conditions are as bad as that what is being done about it?

Especially in regard to the cheap cafes—nobody should be allowed to get away with anything when it comes to sloppy restaurant keeping. What about lack of enforcement of the liquor act?

SOUTH EDMONTON READER.

### RAIL WORKERS' WAGES

Dear Sir—Let's hope Ottawa doesn't panic at the actions of the steel and auto workers' unions who are urging railwaymen to go contrary to a conciliation board's report on wage demands. The board found that the wage increase asked by railwaymen amounts to 28 per cent, "one of the most drastic wage rate increases in Canadian labor history."

A. R. Mosher, president of the railway union, says the compromise suggested by the board is totally inadequate. Now, everyone wants a just settlement of the rail workers' wage demands, but I don't think union labor should set itself apart from other Canadians and band together to gain advantage for one member of the group, whether or not this is in the best interests of the general welfare.

Toronto. C. J. HARRIS.

### YOU'RE WELCOME

Dear Sir—On behalf of the Strathcona High School Alumni Association, we would like to thank you for your splendid coverage in the South Edmonton Sun of our recent Spring Tea at the Strathcona High School. Many acquaintances were renewed, and our organization hopes to soon be able to sponsor scholarships to aid the school.

South Edmonton. JACK DAWIE.

### PIPELINE CONTROVERSY

Dear Sir—I have received the issue of your paper carrying the article by T. W. I've entitled 'Why the Delay,' and you have set out, in my opinion, the real principles of the controversy with respect to the pipeline filibuster.

I have noticed that some of the weekly papers have been much more alert to the situation than have the larger metropolitan press, and I congratulate you on your fine grasp of the situation.

Ottawa. J. L. MACDONALD.  
MP for Vancouver.

### HONORABLE MENTION

Dear Sir—Your editorial on Canada and Social Credit is worth honorable mention. It hits the nail on the head. Mr. Manning has turned down the offer to try to secure a nation-wide following in Social Credit and prefers to confine his activities to Alberta.

I take it he is too busy interpreting the Bible to Albertans so has no time to interpret real Social Credit to the nation. Well, it was an attractive dream, to say the least and reminds me of St. Matthew's 7: 15 and 16: "Beware of false prophets . . . Ye shall know them by their fruits." Edmonton. RECENT SUBSCRIBER.

## SCRIPTURAL MEDITATIONS

By AINSLEY BLAIR

Our Saviour bound up his precious lessons with the things of nature: the trees, the birds, the flowers of the valleys, the hills, the lakes, and the beautiful heavens, as well as the incidents and surroundings of daily life, were all linked with the words of truth, that his lessons might thus be often recalled to mind, even amid the busy cares of man's life of toil.

God would have his children appreciate his works, and delight in the simple, quiet beauty with which he has adorned our earthly home. He is a lover of the beautiful, and above all that is outwardly attractive he loves beauty of character; he would have us cultivate purity and simplicity, the quiet graces of the flowers.

## BACKWARD SPRING OF 1950



## Prelude to Crime

A sober fact worth remembering when reading accounts in the daily press of ghastly auto accidents and crime, is that excessive drinking is usually a prelude to the fatal escapades.

Just this week-end an alleged drunken airman who spread a trail of terror throughout Calgary plunged to his death by crashing into a city home. Mere luck saved the occupants of the house from being seriously injured.

Now, because fatal accidents are so often the follow-up to a siege of drinking, we are not recommending prohibition as an antidote. This newspaper quite frankly opposes measures as drastic as this, for the record of prohibition shows that it creates more evil, more crime, more graft and more corruption than the evil which it seeks to replace.

When any modern state seeks to deny people liquor, it sinks into a cesspool of hypocrisy and filth.

Yet liquor so often creates, on its own, a cesspool of grief and filth.

What then is to be done? We believe that only a widespread program of public education in the use of liquor can lessen the impact that it has in over-indulgence.

It has been reported that British Columbia is experimenting with this form of education in the province's high schools. The moral is that as people will always drink, only a well-integrated program of public education can hope to eventually produce a race of moderate drinkers, well-aware of the grief that liquor can cause.

This may seem to be but an idler's dream. As a matter of fact, it's the only hope that we have for solution of the present-day liquor problem.

Actually, the average man knows very little about the physiological reaction of liquor in the human body. Perhaps an effective scheme of adult education in Alberta could increase public knowledge on this vital subject, and thus lessen the brutal assaults that liquor so often makes on human society.

## Crossroads of the World

During the war years, Edmonton, as a vital point in the military operations of North America, acquired the slogan 'Crossroads of the World.' With the arrival of peace, this appropriate slogan lapsed into general disuse, compared to the new ones of 'Gateway to the North' and 'Canada's Oil Capital.'

Now, with the institution of air service by two major American air lines, Northwest and Western, Edmonton is once more a genuine 'Crossroads of the World.'

It has been remarked by one aviation expert that within ten years all first class travel will be by air. He says that longer runs through the air

will be "more economical, faster, and just as safe."

We are inclined to agree. In this fast-moving day, certainly anything that speeds up the transaction of business is going to receive a hearty welcome. The arrival of Northwest and Western service in Edmonton, one of whose planes has been christened 'Province of Alberta' is a memorable milestone in the growth of the Foothills Province.

Now Edmonton is on a direct line of service between the United States and the Orient, and is the northern terminal for flights to Los Angeles.

What more could be required for a genuine 'Crossroads of the World?'

## Comment from Canada's Press:

### All Parties Should Support It

From The Calgary Albertan

Whatever objections there are to proportional representation—and although we are in favor of it we concede there are serious objections—they do not apply to the single transferable ballot. The House of Commons is setting up a committee to consider reforming the Elections Act, and the single transferable ballot will be supported by the Conservative and Social Credit members on the committee.

Proportional representation applies only where there are several to be elected in the one constituency, such as in Calgary in provincial and civic elections. The different parties or factions obtain representation roughly in proportion to their strength. PR gave Calgary two Social Credit MLAs in the last provincial election, one Liberal, one Independent and on CCF. Had it not been for PR, Calgary would have elected five Social Crediters, yet there was a strong anti-Social Credit vote in the city.

The single transferable vote is used in constituencies where only one person is to be elected. It makes sure that the person who wins has the support of the majority of the voters. Under the "X" system now used in federal elections, people are often—in fact, usually—elected with less than 50 per cent of the total vote. That can't happen with the single transferable ballot as used in Alberta rural ridings. If the first count doesn't give any candidate a full majority there is a second or third count.

Where there are only two parties obviously there is no need for the single transferable ballot. But in most of Canada there are more than two active parties.

Mr. John Diefenbaker, leading advocate of the single transferable ballot in federal elections, says the distribution of members in the House of Commons does not represent the popular vote. But his proposed reform will not necessarily correct that distortion. Outside of Calgary and Edmonton, Alberta has 47 single-member constituencies which use the single transferable vote, and they elected 46 Social Crediters and one Independent Social Credit. Yet many thousands of people voted Liberal and CCF, and even Independent.

Only PR will give a legislative body constituted in proportion to the popular vote. The advantages of the single transferable vote are confined entirely to the individual constituency. Mr. Diefenbaker should have that clearly in mind.

There is no conceivable objection, in our opinion, to the single transferable vote, and it should get support from all parties interested in improving the machinery of democracy in Canada. But it should not be confused with proportional representation.

## SMILES

He: Do you know the secret of popularity?

She: Yes, but not tonight.

Attendant: Your doctor is outside with a flat tire. What shall I do?

Service Station Owner: Diagnose it as inflation of the perimeter, and charge him accordingly.

Visitor: Doctor, what can you say to a girl who is so scary she jumps into the nearest man's arms when she's frightened?

Doctor: Boo!

Kindly Clergyman (pinching little boy's knee: And who has nice, chubby pink legs? Little boy: Mama.

Farmer: And how is the lawyer coming along?

Doctor: Poor fellow, he's lying at death's door.

Farmer: That's grit for you, at death's door and still lying.

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## Spotlight on . . .

## ALBERTA

A News Section About Alberta People,  
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## Alberta Protestants Condemn 'Religious Persecution' In Quebec

By RAYMOND ARGYLE

Edmonton and other Alberta branches of the Canadian Protestant League are launching a formal campaign of protest against what they describe as religious persecution in Quebec. This comes hard on the heels of alleged mob violence against a group known as the Christian Brethren meeting in the Quebec City of Shawinigan Falls.

At a recent mass meeting in Edmonton, the Protestant League announced its intentions, stating that "the criminal assault against this group is a flagrant violation of the laws of Canada which guarantee to all men the freedom of worship."

The Christian Brethren, latest victims of the alleged persecution prevalent in Quebec, are a small Protestant group of long standing, loosely organized into what has been described as a "sect for common worship of Christ."

The Protestant League states that the latest so-called assault against religious freedom is not the first instance of its kind in Quebec. They point to the Jehovah's Witnesses and the Regular Baptists who have, says the organization, "also suffered at the hands of molesters."

It has been reported that civil authorities in Shawinigan Falls took no steps to curb the "criminal offences perpetrated against the Christian Brethren." The Brethren are a pacifistic group, not a fanatical, militant-minded organization.

Rev. H. F. MacEwan and F. E. Algar, president and secretary respectively of the Edmonton Protestants, in a resolution handed to this newspaper, further state that: "As many of our young men laid down their lives in the last war for the maintenance of religious liberty, we demand that the government take immediate action to insure all religious groups in Quebec the protection to which they are entitled as citizens."

Secretary Algar also reports that resolutions have been forwarded to the Prime Minister, Premier Manning, and other political leaders.

Mr. Algar states that the Protestant League is now working to open an office and have an organizer for the four western provinces. President of the dominion organization is Rev. Morris, of Halifax.

Secretary Algar describes him as "a fine man in every way and

a good leader in our work."

The latest charges against Quebec's alleged refusal to give Protestants complete freedom of worship are threatening to create a powder-keg explosion that could rock the religious world from one end of Canada to the other.

Protestants claim that it is high time they were given the same freedom in Quebec as Catholics enjoy throughout the whole of the country. They say that Catholics themselves should oppose any attempt to deny religious freedom, no matter to what group that denial may be imposed.

It is charged that Premier Duplessis' Union Nationale government is not interested in providing freedom for anyone but its own adherents. "Protestant League leaders say this is an insult to Catholic intelligence, and that Catholics should not tolerate attempts by any politician who seeks to further his own aims through the abridgement of human rights."

### Compulsory Car Checks Postponed To May 15

With an overwhelming flood of vehicles pouring into the official testing centres for inspections and identifying safe windshield stickers in every section of Alberta, it is proving impossible for the garages and service stations to keep pace with the unexpected deluge, officials of the Alberta Safety Council announce.

As a result the compulsory inspections by RCMP and city and town police is being postponed to give testing centres an opportunity to catch up with the voluntary inspections being requested by the owners of safe cars and trucks anxious to co-operate in the aims of Canada's first province-wide vehicle inspection campaign.

Another two weeks is being made available for the voluntary phase of the drive, and compulsory police inspections will commence Monday, May 15, instead of May 1.

### Art Judges Named In Competition

The names of five famous Canadian artists who will serve as a panel to judge entries in O'Keefe's Art Awards have been announced by Peter Morgan, awards director. They are: Fred Brigen, A. J. Casson, Charles Comfort, Arthur Lismer and L. A. C. Panton.

All of the judges are well known in Canadian art circles, and have gained high reputation abroad. They have exhibited in British, European and American Art Shows, and many of their paintings hang in private collections and galleries all over the world.

Close to 600 applications have been received from youthful artists all across Canada. The awards are being made available to any artist between the ages of 18 and 30 who is a resident of Canada. While no restrictions have been placed on subject matter, preference will be given to paintings which are Canadian in spirit and which interpret the theme "Canada Unlimited." Paintings must be forwarded to Laing Galleries, Toronto, not later than May 5.

The awards are worth \$5,250 to 18 young Canadian artists. First award is \$1,000; second \$750; third \$500; and 15 awards of \$200 each. Their purpose is to increase the output of first-class work by furthering the development of young artists. The awards may be applied for training, travel, or in any other approved manner which will further the artist's work.

It is expected that the judges will meet in Toronto in May and that announcement of the scholarship award winners will be made about June 1.

In 1947 Quebec City reported for its residents the highest average income of any Canadian city, \$2,585; Oshawa, Ont., was second with average income of \$2,552.

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### Dutch Citizens Bound for Alberta



Filled with the spirit of excitement and adventure, nearly 1,300 Dutch immigrants, many bound for northern Alberta, settled back as trains began taking them westward from Halifax.

## Rich Alberta Oilfields Have Gas on Stomach

Alberta courts and legislature have been asked to decide whether natural gas is included in the definition "petroleum" or whether the gas is a separate product under oil and petroleum agreements.

This has turned into a question representing millions of dollars, literally, as six farmers in the Leduc oilfield, 20 miles south of Edmonton, have each filed suit for \$500,000 and further suits are foreseen. Defendants are the Canadian Pacific Railway, Imperial Oil Limited and Gulf Oil Co., of Calgary.

Only a portion of Alberta oil lands is involved in the suits. This is the area originally owned by the CPR, which also had the mineral rights. Later, the railway leased the petroleum rights on the lands concerned, to Imperial Oil and other companies.

In leasing the rights, the CPR and the oil companies maintain the term "petroleum" includes natural gas. One thing is certain, that the oil can't be produced without the natural gas also trapped in the rock structures.

The farmers concerned do not own the mineral rights to their land and therefore do not share in

the underlying oil.

One of the farmers is Andrew Borys, who is president of the Leduc Surface Rights Association. He already has secured an injunction against Imperial Oil, which is drilling a well on his land. Imperial is seeking to have the injunction lifted. The probability is that this will be the test case on which the issue will be decided. Before a decision is reached, the case will probably wind up in the highest court of the dominion.

### DECLARATION OF RIGHTS

Under Borys' name a letter has gone to members of the Alberta legislature now in session asking for a definition of "petroleum" and a declaration of the rights of owners of petroleum and natural gas.

Borys states that many years ago the CPR sold its surface rights but reserved "petroleum, coal and valuable stone." In more recent years, the terms have been widened to include natural gas.



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## Propane for The Prairies

By GRACE SEALE

Every prairie housewife should be watching the development of propane with the keenest interest. It is another step forward in the modernization of the farm home.

In Turner Valley, on October 27, 1948, Western Propane opened their new plant for the salvaging of Propane. This enterprise brought the convenience of natural gas to 25,000 rural homes. Now an Edmonton firm is operating.

To explain very simply, all petroleum products are hydrocarbons. They vary from light natural gas to heavy tar. When they come from the well they are separated into gases and liquids. The very lightest gases, methane and ethane, are piped, after cleaning, directly to the consumer in the city. These are what is generally meant by "natural gas." The heavier products are normally liquid and from them we get gasoline, distillate, etc. But between the two extremes are propane and butane. These are very unstable. They change very readily from liquid to gas and so cannot be put with either one or the other. Until now the Propane and Butane at Turner Valley have been burned, being considered of no value.

However, their use in the United States has been widespread for twenty years or more. At first butane was used but only in the south for it does not vaporize at temperatures below freezing. As way of controlling the more volatile propane were developed it was found to be more satisfactory than butane and could be used in regions

where the winters are severe.

### IDEAL FOR THE HOME

So now the propane is scrubbed. The sulphur and water removed. So are the gases that create oily deposits. This makes it cleaner than natural gases. When propane is burned the only products of combustion are carbon dioxide and water. Besides this, the gas before burning is not poisonous.

Next it is put under pressure and it remains in this form until just before it is consumed. The liquefied gas is transported from storage tanks to railway or dealer by means of large trucks.

Storage tanks of various capacity can be purchased by the consumer from propane distributors. The larger ones are serviced by trucks; the smaller ones can be taken back to the dealer when empty and exchanged for full ones. Two small ones are kept on hand so there is a continuous supply while the exchange is being made. From these storage tanks the gas is piped to the house.

The extra cost necessary to produce the propane makes it more expensive than natural gas, but with another plant opening up at Devon about the middle of May of this year it is expected that the cost will be such that it will compare very favorably with coal for heating. It is ideal for cooking, hot water tanks, radiators, space heating and refrigerators. The appliances are similar to those used for natural gas and feature



1. What is the name of Thomas Jefferson's home?
2. What is the name of Andrew Jackson's home, near Nashville, Tenn.?
3. To what political party did George Washington belong?
4. What is Bouillon?
5. Who isolated Vitamin C and when?
6. What is a bookmaker or bookie?
7. What science does ornithology deal?
8. Name the capital of the Hawaiian Islands.
9. What disease has often been

the same beauty of design and conveniences.

Consider what this means to the country and small town dwellers. Meals can be cooked in the summer without heating the whole house. An adequate supply of hot water can be on hand at all times, independent of the kitchen range. A clean ash-free radiant will take the chill off the living room on a often considered a drain on the small lighting plant, can be efficiently operated on propane. A forced air circulating furnace assures even distribution of heat from early fall till spring. Set your thermostat and forget about it, no coal to carry or ashes to empty.

It can be used as fuel for tractors, cars and lighting plants gasoline in almost every way.

Home lighting plants brought electricity to the farm, pressure systems and septic tanks take care of the plumbing and now propane is going to bring the advantages of natural gas.

called the "White Plague?"

10. Where is Patagonia?

### THE ANSWERS

1. Monticello.
2. The Hermitage.
3. The Federalist.
4. A clear meat broth.
5. Dr. C. C. King, University of Pittsburgh, in 1933.

6. A professional gambler who accepts bets on horse races.

7. Birds.

8. Honolulu.

9. Tuberculosis.

10. A large region of land at the southern tip of South America, divided between Argentina and Chile.

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## Writer Turned Guide Likes the Northland

By JACK BIRD

On our return from the north, my guide, Old Jim, occupied himself in reading a number of newspapers he had accumulated. I noticed that whenever he came to something that apparently interested him, he would cut it out with a pair of snub-nosed scissors and stow it in his haversack, which was already half full of such clippings. Finally I asked him what he did with his time when he lived alone in his cabin back in the sticks and wasn't actually prospecting.

"I read a lot," was the nonchalant reply. "All my life I've been an omnivorous reader and student. I've read the Bible in five languages; have published two books, and am now at work on my third. I've also written some poetry," he announced, opening a little leather case. "Here is one of my poems."

### READING A LOT

It was about prehistoric man, and when I finished reading it I handed it back without comment. He asked: "Do you believe in this matter?"

"I said: 'I find I have to.'"  
 "I mean that after reading a lot about the subject, you can, over the years, and visiting many of the world's great museums, I find the evidence so overwhelmingly in its favor that if I am going to be honest in my thinking I cannot deny it."

"Yes," he agreed, tucking his poem back into his case, "that is the way it is with me. I believe what I think is the truth, whether I like it or not. The men who knew most about early life on this planet are the ones to go to for information on that subject, and what those people who know nothing about the subject believe,

does not interest me in the least."

At the point a game warden with whom we both had previously been talking, came up and said: "If you fellows want to take a look a couple of seats down you'll find something you probably haven't seen before." So we got up to take a look, and there we saw a little Indian girl of two or three sleeping soundly with chin the seat and her rump up in the air. Her knees were bent under her and crossed at the ankles while her arms were doubled and folded at the chest.

### INDIAN CHILDREN

"Nor is that all," the game warden continued when we had returned to our seat. "The way you see that child sleeping is the way many of these Cree Indian children drop off at night. Where ever they happen to be, behind the stove on anywhere on the floor, when sleep overtakes them, that, often, is where they spend the night, sometimes without being covered up or put to bed, for it is a well-known fact that an Indian can sleep comfortably where it would be too cold for a white man."

He told us that the Indians in those parts usually had a child a year. He told us, too, that he once came upon some old Indian graves, which he had examined without molesting. "Birch bark," he explained, "can last indefinitely. And you will sometimes come upon a birch tree that is old and dead and is being held up by its never-rotting bark."

"Well, these Indian graves I found, the bodies were above the level of the ground, and covered over and under with birch bark, which was perfectly dry, although the ground all around was damp and wet."

"On reason I think those were very old graves," he went on, "was because there were no birch trees anywhere near there, for many miles. There was buried with those Indians everything it was believed they would need on the trail—even a little bundle of sticks to make a fire."

It was just past Sit Lake that I first saw an Indian woman carrying her baby in a moss-pack. This is a bag-like affair in which the child is laced in and the whole made fast to a 2½ foot long board at the back. The top of the board has a wooden loop.

The mother carries this whole affair on her back or hangs it on the branch of a tree while she is working. Or, as I have seen her doing it, if she wants to rock the baby to sleep, she rests the bottom end of the board on the floor

and teeters it back and forth. It is called a moss-pack because the mother packs moss around her baby in this laced-in bag or cradle. This moss also acts as a convenient diaper. Some Indian children spend their first fourteen months in one of these bags; perhaps this has something to do with their walking so straight.

### INSECTS

Insects are the bane of one's out-door existence in summer in the north country. Black flies, deer flies, and flies and mosquitoes, they are all there in great numbers to make your life miserable. I had once done a bicycle tour of the Hawaiian Islands, and found the mosquitoes bad at night but never in the day time.

Here in the Churchill area they simply devour one in the day time and evening, although not so bad at night, for the nights in summer are cool, even chilly.

But this year was different. This year, for some reason, there were almost no mosquitoes. Also, I saw no caribou either this year, while three years ago, like the mosquitoes, they were plentiful. Churchill is at Mile 5.0, and three years ago I first saw the caribou at Mile 459, when we ran into a herd of some fifty, and then more and more, and still more, until we saw, altogether, I should say, literally thousands of them.

It was most unusual seeing the caribou in this region in summer. But then it was equally unusual the winter before to see them within twenty miles of the Pas. That was the first time in forty-five years they had come so far

south. They don't usually come within one hundred miles north of the Pas.

A trapper told me that caribou can walk across ice so thin that no other creature of equal weight can do the same. Even so, they do venture on ice too thin, and are drowned. But it certainly is a sight to talk about to see these majestic animals moving quietly along, or sometimes running herd, with head erect, over that vast tundra area of our Manitoba northland.

### JIM IN GOOD HEALTH

Turning again to Old Jim, I asked: "What is the secret of your apparent good health, and your younger-than-years look?"

"No secret at all," he disclaimed, lifting his hands and dropping them again on his knees.

"But," I persisted, "you say you are 80. Yet you really look fifteen or more years younger than that."

"Well, perhaps it's because I've lived a simple life and an outdoor life all my life. I never worry about anything, take all my troubles in my stride, work steadily, but never overwork."

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If discovery and development can be maintained at their present rate, self-sufficiency may be achieved in a few years.

## FIELDS ARE GROWING

Some idea of the rapid growth and development of the nation's oil reserves may be gained from the fact that before the discovery of the Leduc field in February 1947—considered turning point in the growth of our oil resources—proven reserves totalled some 72 million barrels. Canada's oil reserves have increased more than 15 times over what they were in the pre-Leduc days.

The year 1949 is being recorded in Canada's oil history as another one of important discoveries.

More than a hundred seismograph, gravimeter and surface geological parties were engaged in the greatest search for oil in Canada's history. Hundreds of thousands of acres were surveyed and studied while drills probed continuously beneath the earth.

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## FEMALE GEOLOGIST INVADES HE-MAN OIL FIELD OF WEST



—Central Press Canadian

Attractive Diane Loranger, of Manitoba, one of the few women oil geologists, has invaded the he-man oil field of the west. This attractive 27-year-old girl, the first woman to graduate in geology from the University of Manitoba, hopes through the study of fossils "in about five or ten years" to be able to throw some light as to the shoreline of the vast sea which is believed to have covered the prairies. Here Diane is seen in a microscope study of tiny fossils.

oil at Leduc three years ago reached a new high last year when some 203 exploratory wells were drilled in Alberta. This was more than double the number drilled in the previous year.

Of these 203 exploratory wells, 16 discovered oil. Four of these discoveries (three at Redwater and one at Leduc) extended the area of fields already found.

For the year, the odds against the driller finding oil in an exploratory well stood at almost 13 to one.

## OIL BRINGS NEW BENEFITS

Canada's new oil fields, although producing under restrictions, have already brought important benefits to all Canadians and these will become even more widespread in the future.

To Canada as a whole western oil is saving \$90 millions annually in U.S. exchange. This saving helps all Canadians get more of the other imported goods they want. When the pipe line starts bringing Alberta's oil to eastern refineries, even more imported oil will be replaced by Canadian crude with further important exchange savings.

Oil has become an important source of direct revenue for the province. In the first six months of the 1948 fiscal year the Alberta government collected more than \$2.3 millions from rentals, fees, purchases of leases and roy-

alties. In the same period in 1949 the amount collected rose to more than \$15.1 millions. Alberta's over all cash surplus for the first six months of 1949 was nearly \$12 millions, an amount eight times greater than that of the previous year.

The Alberta developments have made the prairies self-sufficient in oil, but it is apparent that the new fields not only can supply the prairies but also provide oil for other parts of Canada. Thus the new problem appeared: how to carry this growing oil production to markets outside the prairies?

## THE PIPE LINE STARTS

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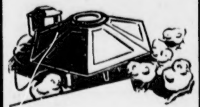
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# News Briefs

From Here and There

## Newspaper Conference

LONDON — The Empire Press Union's 7th Conference is to be held this year in Canada. The conference will meet in Quebec, Ottawa, Toronto and Winnipeg. Host to the visiting delegates, 22 of whom will journey from the United Kingdom to Canada, is to be Senator W. Rupert Davies. In charge of arrangements is Victor Sifton, Winnipeg Free Press publisher. British papers to be represented include the London Times, Manchester Guardian, the Rothermere chain, and the Kemsley chain.

## 'Cat' Ended, Fewer Offences

LONDON.—In the nine months preceding the abolition of flogging (the 'cat') in the United Kingdom, 711 offences punishable by the 'cat' were committed. In the corresponding nine months of 1949, following the abolition of this form of punishment, there were only 597 such cases. These figures were given in the House of Commons by the home secretary.

## Twins' Operation Due This Month

TOFIELD.—Brenda and Beverly Townsend, Alberta's five-month-old Siamese twins, in two weeks may be separated by the first operation of its kind ever performed in Canada. The twins are joined together from the third upper rib down to the navel. They are held together face to face. The operation will be performed in Edmonton's Royal Alexandra hospital.

## Gracie Fields Opens Tour

VICTORIA.—London music hall comedienne Gracie Fields opened her Trans-Canada tour here April 28, after flying to the B.C. capital from New York. She is appearing in Edmonton this week.

## Tragedy For Newlyweds

ST. LOUIS, Mo.—Mrs. Ida Antinoro became a widow less than three hours after she became a bride. She wed Ingizo Antinoro, 54, in a church ceremony here Saturday night. The couple danced at their wedding party and returned, laughing, to their table when Antinoro collapsed and died.

The landlocked salmon which never goes to the sea—though in many cases it could—has larger scales than the Atlantic salmon.

## FUA asks Increased Wheat Payments

Decision to press for an increased final payment on wheat sold under the British Wheat Agreement was made at the executive meeting of the Farmers' Union of Alberta recently. The FUA executive is laying plans to make representation to Ottawa seeking a substantially increased final payment on wheat sold under the British Contract, claiming that the pegged price of wheat sold to Britain was below the world prices and consequently Canadian farmers were in effect subsidizing millers and distillers at a price even lower than the price under the Canada-United Kingdom Agreement.

Two dollar wheat, the FUA believes, will in part compensate for this discrepancy. At the expected rate of payment it is not likely that the final payment on wheat Agreement will bring more than \$1.80 per bushel. The FUA feels

## Basket Fishing In The Great Lakes



The annual smelt run in the Great Lakes draws thousands of net and basket fishermen to the shores. Basket fishermen by the dozen were filled as the fishermen reported good catches.

that this amount is inadequate in light of their contributions to hold the price line for foodstuffs during the war.

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# Prophet Found Evil Among Ancient Peoples

Evil was present in olden times, just as it is today. One who saw this was the prophet Hosea, who lived in the Northern Kingdom.

He resided on one of the most commanding heights of southern Gilead.

Here, tradition declares, the prophet Hosea was buried and here the Bedouin still sacrifices sheep in his honor. It is significant that Hosea alone of all the prophets makes frequent mention of the land of Gilead, and reveals an intimate knowledge of its history.

All that is known of the life and character of Hosea is based on the statement to be found in the book which bears his name. He was the son of an unknown man—Beeri. We have no knowledge of his home, his education or his life as a youth. We are told that he married a woman named Gomer and her betrayal of his love and devotion are a principal factor in his mission and message as a prophet. It is a love story—a rather tragic one—that lies behind Hosea's public ministry. We are told that it was through his marriage with Gomer that Hosea first realized the truth that he was commissioned to preach. Hosea stands among the great religious leaders of the Hebrew people as one who speaks through a deep and real personal experience.

Looking in on the ruin of his own home, Hosea looked out to the house of Israel and realized the similarity of the two. He saw sin and dishonor and wrong and realized how the heart of God was pained, and how divine Love could brood over the wrong doers. He seemed to identify himself with God's very thoughts, so that he could speak the message that God wanted to say to the Israelites.

Go back, now, and read over the references given us for our consideration today. Are not the sins mentioned by Hosea prevalent in our own nation today? Hosea declared that Jehovah had a "controversy with the inhabitants

of the land because there is no truth, nor goodness, nor knowledge of God in the land. There is naught but swearing and breaking faith, and killing, and stealing, and committing adultery.

W. H. Thompson, in "Practical Illustrations," says: "He (Hosea) found evil-doing in the ordinary walks of life as well as in the falsity of religious practices. While it is not true that religious rites encourage immoral conduct, as in the prophet's day, are there not other features of modern life which have that tendency? It has been charged that this is the effect of some of the amusements and fashions of our times. What would you say of easy divorce and its results? Is the social evil promoted by such factors in the so-called good society? Are there not, on the other hand, notable forces at work for the purification of society, and the strengthening of the home upon the foundations of purity and love?"

Hosea called upon Israel to repent of her sins and Jehovah will forgive them. But the repentance must be real and sincere. Cypri Smith, the great evangelist, once explained the meaning of repentance. He said, "Repentance is turning from sin to God. That is repentance—from, 'to.' It is putting your hand on your heart and getting rid of the thing that has been your curse, the enslaving passion, the captivity, the predominating force in your existence, the blackening thing . . . of your soul and dragging it out and saying, 'There, Lord, that is it, and I will die before I commit it again. I turn from it now and forever!'"

We should seek to know the will of God, but knowledge of right is not enough unless we put it into practice in everyday living. The prophet told Israel to "seek righteousness" and "trap kindness." Hosea had learned to know the love of God through the sad experience in his own home. He put that love to work—sowed love in his own home.

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Avoid very short cuts and any suggestion of width at the cheekbones.

If your face is an inverted triangle, keep your forehead exposed with a hint of fullness at either side. Bring your hair forward concealing part of the jawline. Keep your hair medium length.

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Mr. Blake outlined the work of the AMA patrol cars which maintain two-way radios, benefiting the safety of motorists. Other work the organization engages in is accident prevention through driver education, study of car insurance rates and parking facilities.

The speaker stated that Alberta has the highest Motor Assoc. membership in proportion to number of registered cars of any Canadian province or U.S. state.

Program of the Alberta Motor Assoc. was outlined to the South Side Kiwanis Club at their weekly Tuesday meeting by Walter Blake, of radio station CKUA. Mr. Blake dealt particularly with the work done by the organization of which the general public is not usually aware.

The speaker mentioned the influence of the AMA with provincial and Dominion governments regarding roads, and general legislation affecting motorists.

He also mentioned the organization's safety campaign, and



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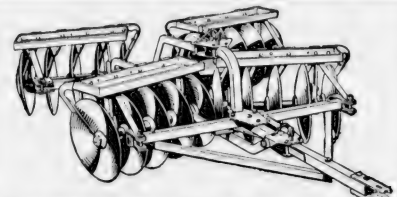
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## Home And School Assn. Holds Meeting

CLYDE.—The Home and School Association held a meeting in the high school Wednesday night, with Mr. Albert Nelson chairman for the evening.

A discussion centred around the building of a new library and it was moved and seconded that the library committee be authorized to go ahead and negotiate with the town council re the erection of a building in which the library would occupy a room 14x12 ft. and a lease of same be granted over an indefinite period. Approximately some \$500 from the Home and School library fund would be used for this purpose.

Among other business the policy of sending a popularity candidate to Westlock was voted down.

It was agreed the school would provide a hot or cold drink at noon time to those children attending the School Festival on May 19 and hot dogs etc would be sold. Mrs. J. Langford is in charge of arrangements of lunch.

Mr. T. Mealing, school principal is directing the high school students in a play entitled "When Wife is Away," to be held in the hall on May 8.

Among other business Mrs. Helouh, teacher of grades 7 and 8 asked the Home and School to sponsor a series of three plays to be put on in the hall on June 2. This they agreed to do. Mrs. Langford in charge of the lunch. A short dance will be held later in the evening.

## Clyde Council Boosts Village Mill Rate

CLYDE.—The regular meeting of the council for the village of Clyde was held on Monday, April 17. All three members, Mayor Main, Mr. McMillan and Mr. Coley were present. Chairman Main called the meeting to order at 8 o'clock sharp. The council immediately settled down to business. Owing to additional demands made by the school board, it was necessary to raise the school mill rate one mill from 29 to 30 mills for 1950.

After disposing of the above, the council went deeply into the public works program and budgeted for road gravelling and gravelling in several parts of the village; also for cement sidewalks. Owing to the condition of the sports ground, the council decided to spend a certain sum of money with a crew of men for improving same and working towards a permanent plan.

The council also decided to establish a dog pound and enforce dog licenses. Clyde will be a poor place for stray dogs in the near future.

Councillor Coley was appointed Child Welfare Officer for the village of Clyde. Anyone knowing of anything along the child welfare line that needs investigating, should contact Councillor Coley.

The Mayor set Monday, May 1, as clean-up day for the village. It is hoped that every resident will co-operate to save the council the trouble of doing this work and charging it to the owners property taxes.

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## ST. ALBERT NEWS NOTES

There was a large crowd that enjoyed the Old Timers' dance held in the Community Hall last Friday.

A "brush party" was held at the home of Mrs. S. Bonneville Monday evening.

Doris Busche had a finger amputated when it was caught in a window that fell.

Elaine Perron is still in hospital with an enlarged gland in her neck.

A little house was moved onto main street north of Lamer's, Credit Union offices.

A new house is going to be built on the lot south of Archie Durocher's and one west of Wm. McMillan.

Visitors at Larry Vague's birthday on April 27 were Mrs. Lindberg, Eileen Lindberg, Walter Hauptman, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Lindberg and Janet.

Sunday visitors at Vague's were Mr. and Mrs. J. Havrelock and Warren, Mr. and Mrs. L. Lindberg and Janet and Mr. Melvin Lindberg, all of Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Ethier and Romeo attended a christening at Beaumont.

Mr. George Lee is working as a carpenter at an oil refinery. Mr. E. Bonneville will accompany him. Lawrence Benoit will soon have his house finished. It is next door to Hodgsons.

## PICKARDVILLE NEWS

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ing quarantined patients and lifting cards from homes on Monday. The Smith kiddies were a happy little group to be able to be out again after a week's quarantine.

Mr. A. F. Smith is still quarantined for scarlet fever and won't be in his place of business until the beginning of the week.

It has been reported to the office this week that Mr. I. P. Tally is really going to be the early bird that catches the worm this spring. He was out on his land the 15th of April.

Mr. S. E. Glibe hopes to plant potatoes next week, weather permitting. Mr. G. Lawley has been busy transplanting and working his garden spot this week, even planted a few vegetable seeds.

Mr. Brunlee is having a well drilled in his yard and hopes to

have a water system installed in his house soon.

The baseball team are sponsoring a dance Friday, April 28 in the hall. Good music will be provided.

Only one member showed up for the monthly FWUA meeting last Thursday. Come on ladies



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## Legal School Obtains Honors

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On Wednesday, April 19, voting was held at the Hut concerning a debenture which the Sturgeon Division proposes to make. There is talk that this will be to construct a new school. The results

of the votes are not as yet known. Mr. P. Mercier is back from a trip to northern Alberta.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Laframboise are the proud parents of Denis Paul, a bouncing baby boy.

Miss Germaine Chauvet who has finished her teaching course at Normal school will soon be teaching in Fort Kent where she is to replace another teacher.

Mr. R. Seguin has now moved to his new residence.

Hello Reapers! Have you had any visitors lately? Did you celebrate an anniversary? Have you had a misfortune? Are you going on a trip? If so, do get in contact with your local editor. Any news will be most welcome.

Mrs. Phillippe Mercier left late Saturday night on a pleasure trip to California. Bon voyage!

## Star, Stage Actor In Row Backstage

NEW YORK.—A row backstage at the Broadway musical show "Texas Li'l Darlin'," came to light with screen star Mickey Rooney and stage actor Fred Wayne in fist-shaking roles and pretty singer Mary Hatcher, 21, in between.

Rooney, on a visit from Hollywood, went to see the show. Miss Hatcher, a friend, tossed him a greeting across the footlights. Wayne later objected, and said ad libbing interfered with his singing.

Rooney's only comment: "Me? I don't need a bodyguard."

## School Festival

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Awbery, Gd 1, recitation; Lorraine Soetaert, Gd 1x, recitation.

Betty Kieser, HS, solo; Maurice Riopel, Gd 8, solo; Robert Mitchell, Gd 7, solo; Muriel Walker, Gd 7, solo; Colette Letourneau, Gd 4, solo; Juliette Ethier, Gd 3, solo.

Rachel Brochu, Class B, piano; Dave Middleton, Class C violin. Natalie Kiliam, duet; Dora Saunders, duet.

Chorus, Div. 1; Chorus, Div. 2; Chorus, Div. 3.

The awards for the trio have not been received yet.

Red Seal Diploma—Yvette Rivet, Gd 8, solo; Gail Parker, Class A, piano; Leigh Steffes, Grade 3, recitation.

Morinville and district have reason to be proud of this wonderful success and to all who took part, congratulations for a job well done from the entire community.

## Group Committee For Boy Scouts To Be Elected

ST. ALBERT.—There will be a public meeting in the Parish hall, Monday May 8 for the purpose of electing a new Group Committee of the Boy Scouts' movement. All parents and those interested are asked to attend. A report will be given of the work done by the retiring committee: Mr. Maheux, Mrs. Sumner, Mrs. Lamer, Mrs. Vague, Mr. B. Morin, Mr. A. Kennedy.

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